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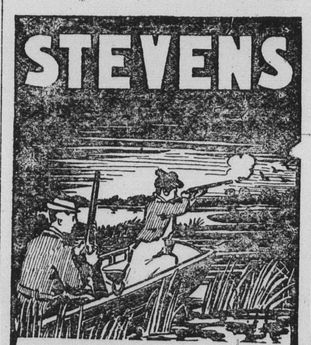
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Bluffing an Outlaw

By C. B. LEWIS

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The New Yorker silver mine, located in Mexico, but owned and worked by Americans, had been in running order a year before Jose Favara put in an appearance. He had been heard of, however. He was known as a cattle stealer, a claim jumper and a general outlaw, and it was the popular belief that he stood in with the police. At any rate, they had not interfered with his operations to any extent, and he walked the streets of the town as free as any other man. One day Jose appeared at the mine. He walked straight to the superintendent's office and, doffing his hat, said:

"Senor Barnes, I beg you to excuse me. My name is Jose Favara. I should have called on you weeks ago, but have been busy in other directions. I am now here to do business with you."

"Well, what is your business?" queried the superintendent, although he had a pretty fair idea of it.

"To arrange to draw my monthly salary, senor."

"For performing what services?"

"For leaving your mine in peace."

"In other words, you mean to levy tribute on us?"

"The senor hits the nail on the head at the first blow. My terms are $200 per month in cash. I shall call for it myself. If accepted you will be under my protection. If not"—

"You will make trouble for us?"

"The Senor Barnes hits the nail again. I like to do business with an Americano."

Jose Favara was told that he would have to wait a few days until his proposition could be submitted to the president and board of directors in New York. He was agreeable. He went away bowing and smiling, and Mr. Barnes sat down and wrote a letter.

The proposition was extortion pure and simple. The authorities could be appealed to, and would doubtless do something. Nevertheless the fact remained that Jose was a bigger man in that district than the authorities. He could harry and harass. He could scare every peon out of the mine in two weeks. He could capture every mule and driver engaged in transporting the ore over the mountains. He could do lots of things to make the situation unpleasant, and the superintendent recommended that a monthly salary be paid. He added that $200 per month was dog cheap.

The president and his board looked upon it as a rather funny case, but followed the advice of Mr. Barnes. From that time on for two years Jose Favara regularly appeared on the 10th of each month and received his "salary." Twice during that time the peons would have struck for higher wages had he not appeared and threatened them with his vengeance. A Mexican lawyer discovered what he thought was a flaw in the title of the New Yorker and would have made cost and trouble had not Jose sent him word that he was after his scalp. It was conceded that the outlaw earned his wage.

Things were going on satisfactorily when the old president died and Mr. Nervely was elected in his place. While the dividends were large, Mr. Nervely wanted to increase them. He saw a way to do it by lopping off and cutting down. A cut of 10 per cent was made in wages and salaries, and the $200 per month to Jose Favara was cut off entirely.

When Mr. Barnes wrote that this move would bring trouble, he was directed to arm his staff and fight. When he asked for rifles a dozen old condemned Springfield muskets were sent him, but not a single cartridge. He wrote for cartridges, but was answered that the president would soon take a trip to Mexico in his private car and would visit the mine and give further instructions in person. Mr. Nervely had been known in trade as a hustler. As president of a silver mine he determined to be a hummer.

Jose Favara called, as usual, on the 10th of a certain month to be told that his salary was nix. He had been discharged. Mr. Barnes entered into particulars with him, even to stating the probable date of the arrival of the president. Jose was impassive and imperturbable. He smiled the same old smiles and bowed the same old bows. He knew he had earned his money, but if he felt sore he gave no sign of it. He went away saying that he might call again, and things went on as usual for three weeks.

Then President Nervely arrived. It was twenty miles over to the railroad, and he had to make this distance on the back of a burro, but he made it. He arrived at the mine at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. At 6 the peons came up from the shaft and announced that there was a strike on. There were 400 of them. Next morning Jose Favara appeared. He wanted to know if his salary was to be restored.

President Nervely flattered himself that he was a fighter. If not an actual fighter, then he was a good bluffer. He had been bluffing for thirty years and had the art down pat. The miners might strike, and be hanged to them. They might be out for a week, but they would then be tumbling over each other to get back. As for Jose Favara, he was an outlaw, a blackmailer, an extortioner. Not another cent should he draw from the treasury. If he made one little move against the peace and harmony of the New Yorker the majesty of the law would be invoked and he would find himself behind prison bars. He was talked to in the plainest English. Mr. Nervely talked in a loud voice. He conveyed the idea that he owned the earth. When he had tired himself out and was taking a rest Jose quietly asked:

"Am I, then, to understand that my services are no longer required?"

"Of course you are."

"But about this strike?"

"I can settle it without your help."

"And as to what I may do with my band?"

"Poof! Look here, my man, let me give you a pointer: Don't come monkeying around here unless you are aching to get hurt. If the law won't protect us we will protect ourselves Do you savey?"

The outlaw did. He bowed and smiled and took his departure. It was a cold bluff, and he meant to call it when the proper time came.

"Do you think he will try to make us trouble?" asked the president of the superintendent when Jose had departed.

"Sure to."

"I don't. I think I bluffed him out. However, there are the muskets."

"And not a cartridge for one of them."

"Cartridges are awfully expensive. I think that empty muskets will do the trick. Nothing like a bluff if you rub it in hard enough."

The strike had lasted four days, with all quiet around the mine, when Jose Favara rode up. It was early in the morning, and President Nervely was eating a picnic breakfast. The outlaw had thirty men with him, and each and every one had a business look about him.

"When the senor is quite through with breakfast I should like to see him," was the message sent to the magnate.

Ten minutes later he appeared and ordered the outlaw to go way back and sit down. He was seized, bound and carried off among the mountains. He called for help, but there was no help. He yelled "Police!" "Fire!" and "Murder!" by turns, but the staff left behind numbered only five men, and they had no cartridges.

An hour later President Nervely was at the outlaw's headquarters. Two hours later he had got over bluffing and was inditing a telegram to a New York banker. The telegram asked for $10,000. The money was forwarded to a town designated, and a week after the abduction it was in the hands of Jose Favara, and President Nervely was set free within half a mile of the mine to find his way in. At the hour of his arrival the strike was called off.

"Didn't I tell you what the man could do?" asked the superintendent as the president came staggering in.

"Yes, but I thought he could be bluffed. He has taken $10,000 out of me. We must fix it some way to charge it up to machinery or repairs."

Bathe and Massage Oranges.

"You can learn a thing or two about fruit," said the foreign fruit store clerk, "by living in the country that produces it. The natives generally know best how to preserve and keep it fresh. Persons ordering fruit for steamer parties often wonder why our oranges look so fresh and bright. They are willing to pay a good price just for the tempting looks of the fruit. Well, we bathe them and massage them just as the Chinese do; that's why. I have lived in the Celestial Kingdom and got some valuable lessons from our almond eyed cousins. On a first class orange plantation in China, when harvest time comes, bamboo vessels filled with water are held under the orange trees, and as the fruit falls from the branch it goes into the water and gets a good bath. An orange not treated this way loses its oil from having been suddenly cut off, and it soon begins to grow brown and shrivel. The Chinese coolies brush the oranges to open the pores of the skin and let the air in. This gets the dust all out and helps to preserve them. California people learned the trick from the Mongolian farmers there."—New York Press.

Never Labored.

"Here's a man," said the defendant's counsel, with a tremulous voice, "here is a man handicapped at the very beginning of his life. From the time he lay a helpless infant in the cradle to this day, when he sits helpless under the pressure of years and affliction, he has labored under the name of Ishmael Aminabad Skeets."

He was about to say more when the plaintiff arose from her seat and shook a work worn forefinger in his direction.

"I expected I was goin' to hear strange things in this court," she cried, with shrill indignation, "but I didn't expect to hear such foolish talk as that! There's never been a day in his life that Aminabad's labored nor thought of laborin'. He's the most shiftless, lazy"—

But she resumed her seat, owing to a sudden pressure from her relatives in the rear, and the counsel, a little flushed, went on in a somewhat different strain.

Only One Side of the Moon.

Did you ever stop to consider the fact that the inhabitants of this earth have never seen but one side of the moon and to inquire the reasons why such should be the case? The explanation is this: The moon makes one revolution on her axis in the same period of time which she consumes in revolving once around the earth. Thus the same geographical regions of the moon are always toward us. One explanation usually calls for another. Therefore it may not be out of place to remark that the astronomers believe that the two motions so nearly coincide because the moon is not a true globe, the earth's influence having elongated the lunar world in the days when it was semi-liquid or at least soft.

Why Life Preservers Are Useless.

"On my ship," said the captain, "the stewards, the first day out, go to every passenger and show just how the life preservers are put on.

"The steward first says:

"'Excuse me, sir, but do you know how to manipulate a life preserver?'

"'Why, yes; I suppose so,' the passenger replies.

"'Then, sir, if you please,' says the steward, getting a preserver down. And he hands it to the passenger to put on.

"The passenger, nine times out of ten, either puts the life preserver on wrong or can't put it on at all. So the steward shows him how to do it. He is impressed and grateful.

"The life preservers, in a shipwreck, would be of little use, for nearly all the passengers would be unable to get into them. There should be a maritime law requiring a passengers' drill with the preservers every voyage, so that each passenger in a catastrophe would know how to save himself with the means placed at his disposal. As things are now, there might as well be no life preservers on ships."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

The Costliest Canes.

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Persian Peasants.

There is probably no peasantry in the world so ground down as the Persian. The agricultural laborer there, as in China, never tries to ameliorate his condition for the simple reason that if he earns more more is taken away from him by the rulers of the land. The general condition of the laboring classes, however, does not seem to be so bad as might be supposed. In a country so vast (550,000 square miles) and so thinly populated (5,500,000 in all) a small and sufficient supply of food is easily raised, especially with such prolific soil at the command of the poorest. At Shiraz there are two harvests in the year. The seifi, sowed in summer and reaped in autumn, consists of rice, cotton, Indian corn and garden produce, and the tchatol is sowed in October and November and reaped from May till July. This is exclusively wheat and barley. Here also grow grapes, oranges and pomegranates, for which latter Shiraz is famed.

The Color of Flames.

You have often noticed the many tinted bars and bands that rise in the shape of "forked tongues of flames" from wood burning in the grate. It is ten to one, however, that you never have thought to figure on the cause of the variegated hues presented by flames. To bring the matter quickly to the point, we will say that the many colors are the result of combustion among the different elements of the wood. The light blue is from the hydrogen and the white from the carbon; the violet is from the manganese, the red from the magnesia and the yellow from the soda, which are constituent parts of the wood.

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A Great New Game Is On.

THE disturbance and catastrophe in San Francisco and the good that will accrue from it may be compared to the revolutions through which many countries have passed in order to become great powers and enjoy peace and prosperity. The terrors into which the city was precipitated with all of its accompanying horrors cause great temporary distress and upheaval, but the transition through which the people will pass to the beautiful and greater San Francisco will be a busy stage teeming with work and industrial life.

It seems that in all things there must be a balance and that we must pass through trouble and make many sacrifices in order to attain a stable position. Nations attain security and peace only after war with all its accompaning horrors. We concede war to be a neccessity. The same seems to be true of calamity.

The effect on men is the first thing to be noted. Surely now we will see a demonstration of the survival of the fittest. All have been thrown more or less on an equality—the man who had inherited vast wealth, the man who acquired big properties, the man who claimed lack of opportunity. A city has been demolished, all social barriers leveled, all old scores wiped out, all successes obliterated. Order must be brought out of chaos. Each man must make for himself a comparatively new future. What will be the result? Will there come to the fore great men like Marshal Field? The Chicago fire made him, or rather it paved the way for his big successes. It gave him opportunity to show the stuff he was made of. He was a man who gathered himself together in the midst of the uproar and through coolness and foresight marked out his future while the ruins yet smoked. Such men may emerge from San Francisco's present confusion. The fire has shuffled the cards for a great new game. That game is on even now.

If into mythology you delve and dig
You might get up a story big,
A myth of a giant planet proud
Who worked for years up in a cloud,
To make a land more beauteous still
Than this of ours—such was his will.
But when to Earth he had descended,
And to the West his way he wended,
He grasped the hand of Mother Earth;
With giant grip and goodly mirth
He shook her hand, and as he grinned
Said, "'Tis no use, you've got me skinned."
That compliment caused the Earth to quake,
We failed to appreciate the shake.

No small amount of praise is due to President Foster and R. X. Ryan of the California Northwestern Railroad for their generosity and earnest work during the excitement in San Francisco. These gentlemen stood at the Ferry for hours writing passes for those who would flee from the doomed city. They refused no one but did all in their power to assist the unfortunate and alleviate trouble. Two little orphans were given a pass and united with their brother in Willits.

WHILE San Francisco is in the present confusion Sonoma Valley is an ideal place for living. Because of its natural position and the manner in which it is builded there is no danger from any cause whatsoever, but is a beautiful spot to come to and its many inexpensive resorts should particularly commend it at this time to the many people of limited means who do not want to stay in the city.

THE shake broke up the races at Emeryville and all the king's horses and all the king's men could not root them out before.

THE lawyer and the drunks of San Francisco wait anxiously to appear once again before the bars.

WHO will be the first to draw a cartoon of the "whole Dam family" after the fire?

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Sonoma, April 27, 1906.

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Repair all chimneys and flues at once. Notify your district inspector and get certificate. Inspectors of this Supervisor District are: Wm. Trudgen, Sonoma, Glen Ellen and Sonoma townships; J. D. Ellis, Petaluma, Vallejo township.

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Carload lots a specialty. We solicit business in these lines.

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Taxes

Poll, road and personal property taxes for 1906 are now due and must be paid to the undersigned or to Frank E. Dowd, County Assessor of Sonoma county, Santa Rosa.

These taxes will become delinquent on and after July 1, 1906. A settlement now will save the penalty which attaches to all such taxes remaining unpaid after above date.

M. P. AKERS.
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Sonoma, March 11, 1906.

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Index-Tribune.

SONOMA, MAY 12, 1906.

Leading Paper of Sonoma.

POSTPONED.

Opening Agua Caliente Springs

Owing to the recent calamity which visited San Francisco and adjacent towns the opening of Agua Caliente Springs, scheduled to take place on May 12th, has been postponed until further notice. THEODOR RICHARDS.

BRIEF MENTION

Easter Hats at G. H. Hotz's. *

Beautiful Easter Hats at G. H, Hotz's. *

Daunt does the only reliable watch repairing. *

The Sonoma Valley Bank opened on Wednesday.

S. Ciucci is having the interior of his hotel renovated.

Hunting notices printed at this office. The very latest form.

The Daily Chronicle and Index-Tribune only $9 for the two newspapers.

The Ladies' Aid Society had a delightful meeting at Mrs. Shaw's Tuesday.

Now is the time to get your pumps and windmills at J. J. Dunbar's. Plumbing done. *

Any repair work left at Mrs. Lutgen's will receive prompt attention by Daunt. *

Just arrived at J. J. Dunbar's a fine assortment of the latest and best steel ranges and stoves. *

The W. S. Miller home was shaken up by the recent temblor. The staircase was thrown down and it was otherwise seriously damaged.

Our Standard Remedy, John McNeil, Ohm's Sulphur Springs, Sonoma, sole agent for Sonoma county, is positively the best cure for all diseases arising from impure blood. For sale at Clewe's. *

Our low prices will be maintained. Our immense stock in Petaluma will enable us to keep up our stock here in all lines. Dry Goods, Clothing, Millinery, Shoes, Underwear, Bedding, Bedsteads, Mattresses, Gents Furnishing Goods, etc.

Racket Store,
Sonoma. *

The pastor, Rev. Mr. Cragin, as usual, will occupy the pulpit in the Congregational church to-morrow (Sunday) morning and also in the evening. His topic in the morning will be "God's Guiding Hand in Our Struggle for Independence and the Events that Immediately Followed." The evening theme will be "Second Sermon on Elijah."

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with local applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a patent medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation

Postmaster Robbed.

G. W. Fouts, Postmaster at Riverton, Ia., nearly lost his life and was robbed of all comfort, according to his letter, which says: "For 20 years I had chronic liver complaint, which led to such a severe case of jaundice that even my finger nails turned yellow; when my doctor prescribed Electric Bitters; which cured me and kept me well for eleven years." Sure cure for Biliousness, Neuralgia, Weakness and all Stomach, Liver, Kidney and Bladder derangements. A wonderful Tonic.

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Take standard remedy for impure blood. For sale at Mullen's store, El Verano. John McNeil, Ohm's Sulphur Springs, Sonoma, sole agent for Sonoma county. *

YOUNG MAN IS KILLED BY TRAIN.

Otto Hess, Former Well-Known Visitor Here Meets a Sad End.

Otto Hess, a son of Editor Hess of the German Demokrat of San Francisco and a friend of the Clewe family of this place, was killed last Sunday evening by falling from a North Shore electric train while returning to the city from an outing in Mill Valley Marin county.

Young Hess and a friend, Marian Pratt, were on the rear platform of the fast morning train, and the trainmen noticing that they were inclined to be indifferent to the danger of reckless scuffling in so precarious a position, started to warn them. They reached them too late, however, for the young fellows had fallen off. The train was stopped and Hess was found lying dead, having been electrocuted by the third rail. His companion was badly injured and is not expected to live.

The Hess family have been most unfortunate of late, having also lost their home and business in the recent San Francisco fire.

A Rare Musical Treat.

A number of friends of the Misses Fraser were bidden to their home last Tuesday night to hear Avedano, the famous tenor. Those who were fortunate enough to hear him had a genuine musical treat, for he is a great artist and is possessed of a magnificent voice. His notes have the same old power to thrill and his dramatic power and temperament are a revelation.

Avedano has been in the same companies with the great Caruso and also the popular Russo. Of late he has been teaching in San Francisco when the fire came and took his home. Much of the music he now has with him is partially burned, having gone through the fire.

His numbers Tuesday night were classic ones from the operas and were rendered with the skill of an artist and the soul of the true musician. The quality of his voice is exceptionally rich and his shading and phrasing is wonderfully delicate.

His daughter accompanied him on the piano.

He will shortly give a concert under the auspices of the Woman's Club for the relief fund.

One of Avedano's San Francisco pupils is also in the valley, having followed him here in order to continue his lessons. Avedano predicts a brilliant future for this understudy, who in the present crisis, however, is working on the E. T. Allen place west of town.

Offers to Erect Library Building.

Mrs. H. C. Calderwood has made a proposition to the Sonoma Valley Woman's Club to erect a library building on her lot on First Street east. The club has been renting a room in the Odd Fellows building for the library but on account of the damage done by the earthquake it has been thought advisable to move.

Mrs. Calderwood has submitted her plans and specifications of the proposed building to the club. The site is close to the Post Office and is looked on with favor.

FOR BOTH

One disease of thinness in children is scrofula; in adults, consumption. Both have poor blood; both need more fat. These diseases thrive on leanness. Fat is the best means of overcoming them; cod liver oil makes the best and healthiest fat and

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Charges Against Professor Nolan.

In the matter of the investigation of the charges made against Professor Nolan the State Board of Education returned the papers sent them by the County Board and set forth the necessity of having them properly signed by a resident of this county. Mrs. Nichols, whose signature appeared thereon, is a resident of San Francisco. When this was brought to the attention of the District Attorney, Dr. A. E. Byron was asked if he would sign the papers and he did so, swearing to the charges before Judge Small. The papers were then returned to the State Board.

State Superintendent of Schools Kirk has signified his intention of taking the matter up as soon as the present legal holiday is over.

EL VERANO.

By Occasional.

George Bergst of San Francisco is visiting at the Daughney residence.

Miss Hazel Daughney of San Francisco is visiting her folks in this place.

Ed Burns, a mail-carrier of San Francisco, is spending the week at the French Cottage.

J. Peter Serres Jr. and J. Albert Dutil went to the city to look over the ruins at that place.

The Board of Supervisors were here from Santa Rosa Thursday inspecting the big bridge.

The new saloon and hotel of P. Forni's is nearing completion and will soon be open for business.

Joe Murphy will will soon leave for San Francisco to help clean the debris from his property at that place.

The Southern Pacific company is now doing a rushing business at this place. Car-loads are arriving daily and El Verano is now the palce.

Rumor has it that El Verano will soon have a butcher shop. A young and up-to-date butcher, who was burnt out in San Francisco is contemplating this new business.

John Lafornaire will soon add another chair to his barber shop and will take in as partner Louis Dufaunt, an up-to-date and first-class tonsorial artist of San Francisco.

OCCASIONAL.

El Verano, May 11, 1906.

An Optimistic Editor

Arroyo Grande has an optimistic scribe in the person of Editor Parsons, who evidently believes in laughing off the San Francisco calamity since it is useless "to cry over spilled milk." He has issued a pamphlet entitled "100 Shocks—Aftermath Reflections of Frisco."

Following are a few extracts from the funny book.

Bread was so scarce that many took a roll out of bed.

James D. certainly has a Phelan for San Francisco.

The Peruvian bark that sailed into the harbor ought to have helped some.

Fire precaution was so great that you didn't dare engage in light housekeeping.

'Frisco banks had money to burn but thank the Lord, it didn't burn.

Those babies who were born during the earthquake are not necessarily little Quakers.

There ought to be lots of harmony in those families living in piano boxes.

Mayor Schmitz didn't do any fiddling when Frisco was burning. He was a hero and not a Nero.

The burning of the churches caused many to cry "Holy Smoke."

The refugees who were fed from wagons certainly dined a la carte.

The Water Pitcher.

The following simple method of keeping ice water in a common pitcher is worth knowing: Put a layer of cotton batting between two sheets of wrapping paper three inches higher than the pitcher. Fasten the ends of the paper and batting together, forming a circle. Paste a cover over one end of the batting and paper. This cover, when over a pitcher, must come close to the stand and so exclude the air, and ice will keep a long time. This paper cover will be found of great service in a sickroom for both milk and water pitchers.

Devotion.

That was a remarkable instance of devotion to which an Italian journal referred some time ago, wherein a husband on hearing that his wife looked her best in mourning committed suicide that she might have an opportunity to wear it.—London Queen.

Sarcastic.

Young Doctor—He seems to have every confidence in my ability to save him. Old Doctor—Is he delirious on other subjects also?—Judge.

DEATH TAKES SAM J. AGNEW.

Well-known Pioneer and Former Resident Passes Away at Petaluma Sunday

Samuel J. Agnew, the well-known pioneer and former resident of this valley, died at his Petaluma home Sunday night after an illness of long duration. Mr. Agnew was born in Floyd county, Virgina, and was seventy-six years of age.

He came to California in 1849 and resided on a ranch near this place for many years. Recently, however, the family went to Petaluma where they built a house and have since resided.

Mr Agnew leaves a widow and the following children: A. W. Agnew the well-known Petaluma business man, Mrs. Champlin, Mrs. J. J. Dunbar, Mrs. Mollie Weyl, Mrs. C. A. Cooper and Miss Sadie Agnew.

The family have the sympathy of many old friends throughout this valley.

City Hall Building.

To-night the Trustees meet in adjourned session to receive bids for sprinkling the streets and also to determine what can be done in regard to the City Hall building. A notice will be served on Contractor MacQuiddy making it compulsory to begin work within three days. It is understood that all negotiations are off with Redmond & Dowdell, who were to do the stone work. It is said that Allamano will go on with this work, having got his bondsmen to put up $500 with which to pay his men pending the regular payment on the job.

PERSONALS.

Charles Champlin is visiting in Monterey.

It is rumored that A. W. Foster and C. A. Zinkand have purchased the Hotel Rafael.

Lachman & Jacobi have decided to conduct their large wine business at Petaluma

Mrs. Mollie Weyl of Oakland attended the funeral of her father in Petaluma this week.

C. J. Poppe is having the necessary repairs made on his Glen Ellen store.

A garden party for the church will be held at Mrs. Duhring's seme time this month.

Albert Sherman, who has been employed at the Home since the San Francisco fire, was taken seriously ill this week.

John and Jep Valente have returned to San Francisco and have resumed their former positions. Mrs. John Valente will go down on Sunday.

Mrs. H. Appleton is contemplating the erection of a handsome new home on the corner of Broadway and Maple Ave. The lot was recently purchased by Lewis & Cummings.

John B. Sheehy of Murphy, Grant & Co., San Francisco, has been placed in charge of the dry goods stock of the Racket Stores of which the late Henry Seiss was the owner. After the inventory has been taken the stock will be sold to the highest bidder.

Prof. F. I. Vassault, formerly an instructor at the Locust Grove school, returned from New York last Monday, where he had been visiting relatives the past few months. Mr. Vassault will remain in the valley about a week when he leaves for Minneapolis to assume charge of "The Bellman," a new literary weekly. Mr. Vassault is a forcible writer and a keen literary critic and we bespeak for the new publication, under his guiding hand, a long and successful career in the literary world.

Poor Reward For Kindness

James Biggins' an escape from the Boys and Girls' Aid Society, came to Petaluma after the fire in San Francisco and was given a home at the Wm. Dickson ranch on Sonoma Mountain. He was treated well, but as a reward for the kindness accorded him he skipped out Tuesday with a horse belonging to his benefactor and $70 in cash, which he took from the purse of Miss Cleary, a school teacher, who boarded with the Dickson's. Word was sent to this place and adjoining towns and every effort made to capture the young thief, but he made good his escape on a Petaluma boat and is now thought to be in San Francisco.

GLEN ELLEN

By Aurora.

The picnic to be given by the Glen Ellen Grange promises to be a very jolly time as they have a number of very valuable prizes for the games and races to say nothing about the baseball game. There will also be dancing. Do not forget the date, May 19, and be sure and be there.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church of Kenwood is going to give a strawberry social Saturday afternoon in the park in front of the church. Mr. John Asplin is to furnish the berries of which he has a choice lot.

Mr. George Power passed away last week. His mother, father and wife took the remains back to Philadelphia. Mrs. Power will remain in Philadelphia and the father and mother will return to California.

Frank McDonald, who conducted a harness shop in Glen Ellen for some time, died last Friday at Santa Rosa after a long illness. He was a brother of R. A. McDonald of Eureka and aged 35 years.

Mr. Peter Gordenker arrived home on Thursday from San Francisco with a crushed foot which he received in the shake up.

The Rev. Mr. Edward Payne is going to give a cource of lectures in Mervyn Hall in the near future.

Mrs McClain is back here for the summer. San Francisco was too warm.

Mr. Jacob Frediger was in San Francisco looking at the ruins this week.

Mr. H. J. Chauvet and a party of friends were in Santa Rosa Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Johnson were in Sonoma Thursday on business.

A party of young folks went to the skating rink in Sonoma last Saturday evening.

Mrs. Andrew Erikson was in Sonoma Wednesday.

Leo Justi went to Sonoma Monday on business.

AURORA.

Glen Ellen, May 11th, 1906.

Grand Ball at Glen Ellen

A grand ball will be given at Mervyn Hall, Glen Ellen, Saturday evening, May 19th. Fine music will be furnished by the Schieck orchestra and a good time is promised all who attend.

Sonoma Would Get Business Establishments

An effort is being made by the Sonoma Valley Board of Trade to get business establishments to locate here which have been burned out of their locations in San Francisco. Many firms are making their headquarters in the country pending the rebuilding of the city.

The Repsold Distilling Company located this week in Napa through the efforts of the Chamber of Commerce of that place.

Pure Blood

Is certain if you take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

This great medicine cures those eruptions, pimples and boils that appear at all seasons; cures scrofula sores, salt rheum or eczema; adapts itself equally well to, and also cures, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles; cures rheumatism and catarrh; cures nervous troubles, debility and that tired feeling.



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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES.

Mrs. Marti has been visiting in Petaluma.

Jack Kelly visited Petaluma on Saturday.

Mrs Wm. McElroy and the Misses McElroy visited San Francisco Sunday.

J. Hunter visited Petaluma one day this week.

Miss Amy Engler spent Sunday in San Francisco.

Miss Flora Levy is the guest of Miss Eda Gillen.

E. Cuiter and son, Sedrick, spent Sunday in the city.

A. Froment was in town Wednesday from Glen Ellen.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hyde have been visiting relatives here.

Howard Knight was a visitor to San Francisco last Sunday.

W. K. Roberts is about to build another cottage on Broadway.

The Misses Weber were visitors to San Francisco last Sunday.

City Marshal Albertson has appointed Fred. Fouts as his deputy.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Kerner has been quite ill.

Rev. Mr. Cragin has again taken up his residence with Mr. and Mrs. MacQuiddy.

The next meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society will be held at Mrs. Calderwood's.

Ralph Murphy will soon build a new cottage on his lot near the Copeland place.

Mr. and Mrs. Palstine are now visiting the Geo. Zanes at Woodland, Yolo county.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bates visited the Clarence Naumans in San Francisco Sunday.

Dr. Alf. McLaughlin, who has been in Petaluma, is now on a hunting trip to Dry Creek.

Wm. Clewe went to San Francisco Wednesday to attend the funeral of the late Otto Hess.

Mrs. Ralph Murphy went to Vallejo Friday to visit with her friend Mrs. Schultz (nee Clara Tivnen.)

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Akers of Petaluma spent Sunday with Sonoma and Schellville relatives.

Chas. Champlin was in town the first of the week. Mr. Champlin is a student of theology at Berkeley.

Miss Carrie Haven, who frequently visits at the Haven country home near Agua Caliente, was married in San Jose this week to a prominent fruit-buyer of the East.

A number of pupils of W. C. Nolan, principal of the Grammar School, decorated his desk with many beautiful flowers last Friday in honor of his birthday.

Sciatica Cured After Twenty Years Torture.

For more than twenty years Mr. J. B. Massey of 3322 Clinton st., Minneapolis, Minn., was tortured by sciatica. The pain and suffering which he endured during this time is beyond comprehension. Nothing gave him permanent relief until he used Chamberlain's Pain Balm. One application of that liniment relieved the pain and made sleep and rest possible, and less than one bottle has effected a permanent cure. Mr Massey recites his experience for the benefit of others who may be similarly afflicted. If troubled with sciatica or rheumatism why not try a 25-cent bottle of Pain Balm and see for yourself how quickly it relieves the pain.

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Board of Supervisors

The Board of Supervisors at their session Tuesday passed the following road bills:

Road Commissioner Blair Hart—Agua Caliente road district, $132.50; Glen Ellen, $359.50; Lakeville, $325.15; Penngrove, $164.50; San Luis, $389.30.

Road Commissioner H. W. Austin—Fulton rood district, $188.99; Russian River, $243.51; Bellevue district, $513.70.

Road Commissioner Joseph A. McMinn—Geyser road district, $405; Knight's Valley district, $111.55; Mendocino, $722.85; Washington, $42.75

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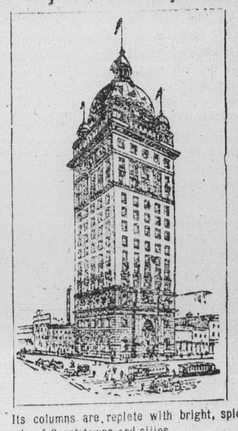
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THE PLANET MERCURY.

Like Venus and For Like Cause, It Is Now a Dead World.

Mercury is a body devoid, practically if not absolutely, of air, of water and of vegetation. Consequently it is incapable of supporting any of those higher organisms which we know as living beings. Its surface is a vast desert. It is rough rather than smooth. Whether this roughness be due to mountains proper or to craters we are too far away from it to be able yet to say. The latter is the more probable. Over the greater part of its surface change either diurnal or seasonal is unknown. Three-eighths of its surface is steeped in perpetual glare, three-eighths shrouded in perpetual gloom, while the remaining quarter slowly turns between the two. The planet itself, as a world, is dead.

Interesting as Mercury thus proves to be, the interest as regards the planet itself is of a rather corpselike character. Less deterrent perhaps is the interest it possesses as a part of the life history of the solar system, for tidal friction, the closing act in the cosmic drama, has brought it where it is. The machine has run down. Whether it ever supported life upon its surface or not, the power to do so has now forever passed away. Like Venus and for like cause, it is now a dead world. And it was the first thus to reach the end of its evolutionary career, earlier to do so than Venus, inasmuch as tidal action was very much greater upon it than on Venus and consequently produced its effect more quickly. Mercury has long been dead. How long, measured by centuries, we cannot say, but practically for a very long time. Venus must have become so comparatively recently. Both, however, now have finished their course and have in a most literal sense entered into their rest.

SEEING SICILY.

Not to Know This Island Is Not to Know Greece.

There are some lands which have always laid a spell upon the mind, upon the imagination, upon the heart. Greece, above all other countries, has entranced the mind. The imagination has ever loved the east—Egypt, the Indies, forgotten Asia, the almost as mysterious Asia of today. For most of us the home land is the country of the heart, for many, it may be, it is Palestine, where was lighted the fire at which the hearts of incalculable millions are still warmed. Others are content to say with Emerson in the fine essay on "Heroism," "That country is the fairest which is inhabited by the noblest minds." But, above all other lands, there is one which has at once impressed the mind, the imagination and the heart of western peoples. When a famous poet declared that on his heart would be found engraved the word Italy the words voiced the emotion of a multitude in every country of Europe and in the great northern continent oversea.

To see Sicily, the old "Garden of the Sun," as the poets have loved to call it, is not to see Italy, though there may be a measure of truth in Goethe's remark that not to know Sicily is not to know Italy. In a sense one might more truly say of Sicily that not to know it is not to know Greece. In another sense, however, we have in this most beautiful of islands the intensification of Italy. Whatever is most Italian is in evidence here, though it is Italian of the south and not of the north. What a gulf divides them is known only to those familiar with the whole peninsula.—William Sharp in Century.

"Bulls" Not Irish.

Those who are not Irishmen sometimes trespass on Irish property. A French cure, preaching about sudden death, said, "Thus it is with us—we go to bed well and get up stone dead!"

An old French lawyer writing of an estate he had just bought added, "There is a chapel upon it in which my wife and I wish to be buried, if God spares our lives."

A merchant who died suddenly left in his bureau a letter to one of his correspondents which he had not sealed. His clerk, seeing it necessary to send the letter, wrote at the bottom, "Since writing the above I have died."

A Sentiment and an Autograph.

A certain young lady, so the story runs, wrote to F. Marion Crawford, the novelist, requesting that he send her a bit of sentiment and his autograph. The reply was:

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—Collier's Weekly.

A Simple Precaution.

Landlady (of country inn on the eve of a popular holiday to her daughter, who is kneading the dough for a cake)—Resei, you'd better put a couple of eggs and a bit of butter into the cake. It looks as if we were going to have a storm, and if the townsfolk don't stir out tomorrow we shall have to eat it ourselves.—From the German.

Language.

Language is a solemn thing. It grows out of life—out of its agonies and ecstasies, its wants and its weariness. Every language is a temple in which the soul of those who speak it is enshrined.—O. W. Holmes.

Feminine Finesse.

Duffer—My wife got a fiver out of me today with one happy remark. Puffer—Let's have it. Duffer—She told our boy Willie that she was his nearest relative, but that I was his closest.—Indianapolis Star.

Every day is a new life, every sunrise but a new birth.—Jordan.

Too Much to Ask.

A traveler in the highlands observed while at a tavern in a small village a very beautiful collie. At his request the owner was pointed out to him, and he asked the man what he would take for the dog.

"Ye'll be taking him to America?" the Scot asked cautiously.

"Certainly, if you sell him to me."

"I no coul' part wie Rob," the dog's owner then said emphatically. "I'm muckle fond-like o' him." And liberal offers were no inducement.

To his astonishment, the traveler later saw the dog sold to a drover for half what he had offered and after the drover had disappeared requested an explanation. "You said that you could not sell him," he remarked.

A twinkle came into the highlander's eyes.

"No; I didna say I'd no sell him. I said I couldna part wie him," he said. "Rob'll be hame in two or three days fra noo, but I couldna ask him to swim across the ocean. Na; that woul' be too muckle to ask."—Harper's Weekly.

Pews That Carry a Vote.

The parish church of Chertsey possesses a curious anomaly. It has several pews in its gallery which are bought and sold by auction, just like a table or a chair, and these pews give their owners for the time being a legal right to vote at parliamentary elections in the division. Moreover, the owners of the pews have to pay the poor rate of £2 a year into the bargain, a privilege they are not so eager to use as the former one. Many years ago the church wardens of Chertsey were at their wits' end in order to raise money for the restoration and repair of the sacred edifice, and they could find no solution to the question until some parishioners suggested that they should sell the gallery pews to the highest bidder. They accepted the idea and obtained a special act of parliament allowing them to do this and also giving the privilege of a parliamentary vote.—London Spectator.

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Unconscious Sarcasm.

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Lynch Law.

In an article in Law Notes on "The Origin of the Term 'Lynch Law'" mention was made of the fact that formerly the term "Lydford law" was used in the same sense in England. A North Carolina judge in a recent case quoted the following lines:

I oft have heard of Lydford law—
How in the morn they hang and draw
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An Arabian Legend.

The Arabians had a tradition that when the devil started forth from his own place to the garden of Eden he was too lazy to walk and begged all the animals, one after another, to carry him. All refused except the serpent, which was then a quadruped and the most beautiful of all beasts. Yielding to the entreaties of Satan, the serpent took up the devil on its back and carried him the rest of the way, no one knows how far, and after the consequences of the devil's entry into the garden became apparent the angels were commanded to look up the serpent and punish it, so Michael cut off its legs, and it was doomed henceforth to travel about as best it could flat on the ground.

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Doctors and Solemnity.

The days are past when every self respecting doctor was expected to dress in a style tastefully blending the divine with the undertaker. But a "sustained and impenetrable solemnity" is still a priceless possession for those who would achieve success in medicine. If this is a natural gift, so much the better; if not, it should be acquired at any cost.—British Medical Journal.

For Its Vocabulary's Sake.

"Indirectly, more forcibly sometimes than directly," said a senator, "a man may be accused."

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The Way of the Law.

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Who rises every time he falls will sometimes rise to stay.—Morris.

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A Gallery of Forgeries.

Paris possesses a very fine gallery of modern masters, largely of the Barbizon school, not one of which is genuine. It is to the painter Harpignies that France is indebted for this queer collection of the spurious. Passing through the Rue de Vaugirard one day, his eye caught some canvases in a window. They were all signed by prominent names, including his own, and every signature was forged. Passing inside, the list became more extensive, and the painter found himself in the presence of false Corots, Diazes, Daubignys, Lancrets, Isabeys, Neuvilles and even English Turners. The revelation of his own identity enabled Harpignies to become possessed of this collection for something less than the proverbial old song, and it may now be inspected by those interested in such matters at the state furniture depot, where it is preserved as a kind of high water mark in sophistication.

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